

AMENDMENT TO H. CON. RES. , AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. KASICH OF OHIO

Section 3(1) (relating to National Defense (050) outlays for fiscal year 2000) is amended by striking “\$274,600,000,000” and inserting “\$276,600,000,000”.

Section 3(20) (relating to Allowances (920) outlays for fiscal year 2000) is amended by striking “-\$8,100,000,000” and inserting “-\$10,100,000,000”.

Section 5(c) is amended to read as follows:

1 (c) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
2 gress that—

3 (1) beginning with fiscal year 2000, legislation
4 should be enacted to require any official statement
5 issued by the Office of Management and Budget, the
6 Congressional Budget Office, or any other agency or
7 instrumentality of the Government of surplus or def-
8 icit totals of the budget of the Government as sub-
9 mitted by the President or of the surplus or deficit
10 totals of the congressional budget, and any descrip-
11 tion of, or reference to, such totals in any official
12 publication or material issued by either of such of-
13 fices or any other such agency or instrumentality,
14 should exclude the outlays and receipts of the old-
15 age, survivors, and disability insurance program

1 under title II of the Social Security Act (including
2 the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust
3 Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Trust
4 Fund) and the related provisions of the Internal
5 Revenue Code of 1986; and

6 (2) legislation should be considered to augment
7 subsection (b) by—

8 (A) taking such steps as may be required
9 to safeguard the social security surpluses, such
10 as statutory changes equivalent to the reserve
11 fund for retirement security and medicare set
12 forth in section 6; or

13 (B) otherwise establishing a statutory limit
14 on debt held by the public and reducing such
15 limit by the amounts of the social security sur-
16 pluses.

Section 6(b) is amended by inserting “, including any measure” before “in response”.

Section 6(c)(2) is amended by inserting “, in consultation with the Board of Trustees of the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Trust Fund,” after “Office”.

Section 15(b) is amended by striking “October 1, 1999” and inserting “January 1, 2000”.

At the end, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 17. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON CHILD NUTRITION.**

2 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds that—

3 (1) both Republicans and Democrats under-
4 stand that an adequate diet and proper nutrition are
5 essential to a child's general well-being;

6 (2) the lack of an adequate diet and proper nu-
7 trition may adversely affect a child's ability to per-
8 form up to his or her ability in school;

9 (3) the Government currently plays a role in
10 funding school nutrition programs; and

11 (4) there is a bipartisan commitment to helping
12 children learn.

13 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
14 gress that the Committee on Education and the Workforce
15 and the Committee on Agriculture should examine our Na-
16 tion's nutrition programs to determine if they can be im-
17 proved, particularly with respect to services to low-income
18 children.